CHAPTER 302

TOWN OF FONDA LEGALIZING ACT

H. F. 490

AN ACT to legalize and validate the petition, notice and proceedings of the town council of the town of Fonda, Iowa, in connection with the election and authorizing and providing for the issuance and disposition of swimming pool bonds and for the levy of taxes for the payment of said bonds and declaring the bonds issued pursuant to said proceedings to be enforceable obligations of said town.

Whereas, it appears from the records of the town of Fonda, Iowa, that pursuant to a sufficient petition theretofore filed, the town council of said town called and ordered a special election to be held in said town on October 4, 1956, for the purpose of voting on the proposition of constructing a swimming pool in the town of Fonda, Iowa, and contracting indebtedness for such purpose not exceeding forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) and issuing bonds for such purpose not exceeding forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) and levying a tax annually upon the taxable property in said town not exceeding two and one-half mills per annum to pay said bonds and the interest thereon, and notice of said election was published once each week for three consecutive weeks prior to the day of said election in the manner and form required by law; and

WHEREAS, after canvassing the results of said election it was found and determined that said bond proposition was approved by more than sixty per cent (60%) of the total number of votes cast for and against said proposition throughout said town, and in reliance upon the favorable vote cast at said election the town council of said town has by resolutions authorized and provided for the sale and issuance of swimming pool bonds to the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) and for the purpose aforesaid and has made provision for the levy of taxes to pay said bonds and the interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the validity and legal sufficiency of said election and proceedings and provisions made for the sale, issuance and payment of said bonds and it is deemed advisable to put such doubts and all others that might arise concerning same forever at rest; now therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- That the petition and all proceedings heretofore taken and the notice given by the town council of the town of Fonda, Iowa, $\mathbf{3}$ preliminary to and in connection with the special election held in said town on October 4, 1956, and providing for the sale and issuance of 5 swimming pool bonds of said town to the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) pursuant to said election, and for the levy of taxes upon all the taxable property in said town to pay said bonds and interest thereon, are hereby legalized, validated and confirmed, and said swimming pool bonds issued, sold and delivered pursuant to and in 9 accordance with said proceedings are hereby declared to be legal and 10 11 to constitute valid and binding obligations of said town.
 - SEC. 2. This Act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication in The Fonda Times, a newspaper published in Fonda, Iowa, and in The

Rolfe Arrow, a newspaper published in Rolfe, Iowa, all without expense to the state.

Approved April 10, 1957.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 490, was published in The Fonda Times, Fonda, Iowa, April 18, 1957, and in The Rolfe Arrow, Rolfe, Iowa, April 18,

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 303

CITY OF KEOKUK LEGALIZING ACT

S. F. 446

AN ACT to legalize and validate proceedings had by the city of Keokuk, Iowa, and the city officials, relating to the submission at a special municipal election held in said city on March 5, 1957, and the election itself, and the giving of notice thereof, on the proposition of constructing a new police station and fire station in combination, and contracting indebtedness for such purpose not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars (\$105,000) and issuing bonds for such purpose not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars (\$105,000) and levying tax annually upon the taxable property in said city not exceeding one-half (½) of one (1) mill per annum for the payment of such bonds and the interest thereon, and declaring the same to be legally sufficient authority for the city council and city officials of said city to contract indebtedness and issue bonds in reliance thereon and to levy taxes to pay said bonds and the interest thereon.

Whereas, the city council of the city of Keokuk, Iowa, provided for the submission to the voters of said city at a special municipal election held March 5, 1957 and the giving of notice thereof pursuant to the provisions of chapter four hundred seven (407), Code 1954, a proposition as follows:

Shall the city of Keokuk construct a new police station and fire station in combination in the city of Keokuk and contract indebtedness for such purpose not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars (\$105,000) and issue bonds for such purpose, not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars (\$105,000) and levy tax annually upon the taxable property in the city of Keokuk, not exceeding one-half $(\frac{1}{2})$ of one (1) mill per annum for the payment of such bonds and the interest thereon?; and

Whereas, at said election said proposition carried by a majority of more than eighty percent (80%) of the total vote cast for and against said proposition at said election; and

Whereas, doubts have arisen as to the legal sufficiency of said election proceedings, election, the giving of the notice thereof and the authority of the city council and city officials of said city to contract indebtedness and issue bonds for such purpose and to levy tax annually upon the taxable property in said city, not exceeding one-half $(\frac{1}{2})$ of one (1) mill per annum to pay said bonds and the interest thereon, and it is deemed advisable to put said doubts and all other doubts concerning the same that might arise forever at rest; now, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. The acts and proceedings of the city council and city officials of the city of Keokuk, Iowa, in authorizing and providing
- for the submission of the proposition set out in the preamble hereof